

CHRISTMAS HINTS

From the Dry Goods Department

FANCY SILK SCARFS
GLOVES OF ALL KINDS
FANCY RIBBONS
SILK HANDBAGS
FANCY BEADS
DRAWN WORK CENTREPIECES
LUNCHEON SETS
BOUDOIR CAPS
LINEN CRASH CUSHION COVERS
NEEDLE CASES
SILK WAISTS
TWEED AND SERGE DRESSES
SILK AND SERGE DRESSES
SILK UNDERSKIRTS

DAINTY HANDKERCHIEFS
SILK HOSIERY
"TIE-ON" VEILS
LEATHER HANDBAGS
SILK UNDERSKIRTS
D'OYLIES
TEA APRON
BATH ROBES
DOLL SETS
FANCY WOOL TAMS
FLANNEL MIDDIES
SWEATERS AND WOOL SCARFS
PLUSH OR CLOTH COATS
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From the Men's Wear Department

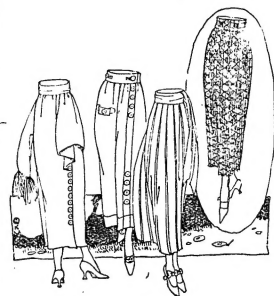
SILK SCARFS
FINE SHIRTS
SILK ARM BANDS
INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS
FINE GLOVES AND MITTS
WOOLEN GLOVES
SWEATERS
PYJAMAS
LEATHER BELTS

NECK TIES
SILK BRACES
SILK CARTERS
PLAIN HANDKERCHIEFS
MOTOR GAUNTLETS
FUR CAPS
MACKINAW COATS
WOOL MUFFLERS
SILK AND CASHMERE HOSE

From the Footwear Department

Quite a nice variety of Felt Slippers for all members of the family. Fine Satin Pumps. Fine Kid Pumps. Ladies' High Laced Bala, from Canada's best factories. Dr. Reed's Cushion Sole Boots for men. Hurlbut Boots in many varieties for the children.

Serge, Gabardine, Silk and Tweed Skirts for Women



Neat Skirts made from fine quality Serge, Gabardine, Silk and serviceable Tweed, shown in light or dark colorings. Each individual skirt is neatly made and, although of a serviceable nature, is extremely stylish and dressy

Navy Blue Serge Skirts, made with novelty pockets and fancy belts, trimmed with smoked pearl or jet buttons. Prices from each \$12.50 to \$16.50

Fine Navy Blue Serge Skirts with slit or fancy pockets and button trimmings, each, at \$20.00
Black Serge Skirts trimmed with smoked buttons or clusters of tucks and fancy belts, at, each \$13.50 to \$17.50
Navy Blue Serge Skirts trimmed with military braid or silk braid pipings and fancy buttons, from, each \$16.00 to \$18.75
Navy Blue Accordion Pleated Serge Skirts at, each \$17.50
Navy Gabardine Skirts with trimmings of braid, fancy pockets and pearl buttons, at, each \$16.00 to \$18.75
Silk Poplin Skirts, made in a variety of styles in shades of Navy, Sand, Grey, Black and Taupe, at, each \$7.00 to \$12.50
Sand Serpentine Poplin Skirts, at, each \$8.50
Black Chiffon Taffeta Skirts trimmed with fancy straps, pockets and pearl buttons and finished at the waist with pleated frill, at, each \$16.50 to \$20.00
Tweed Mixture Skirts in Brown, Grey and Purple, at from, each \$11.50 to \$17.00
Sand Polo Cloth Skirts in novelty style, at \$27.00
Black and White Check Skirts at \$12.00
Novelty Check Skirts in Purple, Grey, Rose, Brown or Blue, at, each \$16.00 to \$25.00

LUNCHEON SETS

Japanese Luncheon Sets consisting of centrepiece, 6 large and 6 small d'oilies. The buttonholed edges are embroidered with white or delf blue thread while the embroidery designs are either blue bird or daisy, at, per set \$3.50

Flannel Middies, Overblouses and Kilted Skirts

Navy and Red Flannel Middies with sailor collars, cuffs and pockets, trimmed with white "Soutache" braid and stars, at, each \$7.00 to \$9.50

Navy Flannel Balkan Waists with braid trimmings, at \$6.00

Navy Flannel Over-Blouses with silk embroidery trimmings, at, each \$10.50

Navy All-Wool Kilted Skirts, sizes 8-14 years, at \$4.75

Hand Bags

AS XMAS SUGGESTIONS FOR
WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Fancy Bead Handbags, at, each 75¢ and 95¢
Children's Pretty Little Handbags with mirrors, in Red, Blue, Brown, Black, Purple and Navy, at \$1.25
Children's Purses made from patent leather, silk or flowered satin, with little mirrors, at \$1.35
Children's Leather Handbags in Green, Royal Blue, or Red, with White silk lining and small mirrors, at, each \$2.00
Women's Black Leather Handbags with small purse and mirror, at \$2.50
Women's Black Leather Bag with silver top, paisley lining and small purse and mirror, at \$3.50
Women's Black Leather Bag, fancy grey lining and shirred inside pocket containing purse and mirror, at each \$4.50
Women's Black Leather Handbag with silk poplin lining and vanity articles, at \$6.90
Women's Black Leather Bag with leather lined inside, attached purse, at \$9.50

Neckwear

Pretty Net or Lace Frilling designed in fancy petal shapes, at 75¢ and \$1.25 yd.
Plaid Windsor Ties and all wanted shades at 95¢

Reliability

Amidst all talk of style, grace and comfort as applied to corsets, one is apt to overlook their wearing qualities.

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Fashionable Wool Sweaters Smart Looking and Dressy

Women's Slip-on Wool Sweaters made in plain and novelty weave with sailor or shawl collars, pleated or frilled peplins and shown in shades of Paddy, White, Dark Rose, King Fisher, Azure and Pearl Grey. Prices, each \$8.75 to \$15.00
Sleeveless Slip-on Sweaters in Sage, Melon or Lavender, at \$5.00
All-Wool Coat Style Sweaters, in shades of Azure, Paddy, Purple, Rose, Turquoise, Amber and Sage. Prices \$6.75 to \$16.50
Tuxedo Coat Sweaters with braided belts, in King Fisher or Coral each \$11.75
New Novelty "Sandwich" Sweaters of Brushed Wool in Paddy, Light Blue and King Fisher, with contrasting shades of revers and fringe trimmings, at, each \$12.00
Coat Sweaters with Pearl buttons as trimmings in Lavender, Rose, Turquoise, White, Apple and Paddy, at \$15.00
Tuxedo Sweater Coats with wool vests and contrasting brushed wool revers in Turquoise with Pearl Grey, King Fisher with Sand, Rose with Sage, Melon with Dark Grey, Purple with Fawn and Paddy with Sand, at, each \$16.50 and \$16.75
Coat Sweaters with large sailor collars trimmed with contrasting stitchings in Purple with White, Azure with Grey and Rose with Black, at, each \$15.00
Sweaters in outside sizes in Grey, Black and Irish, at \$8.75

Pretty Underskirts as Acceptable Christmas Gifts

A Most Complete Showing Both in QUALITY and PRICE
Underskirts of Habutai Silk, made with flounces trimmed with knife pleated frills and pin tucks, unusually good value at \$8.00
Messaline Shot Silk Underskirts in shades of Navy and Paddy The "plisse" flounces are attractively designed with inserted Dresden silk. Priced at, each \$13.75
An especially pretty Sateen Underskirt with floral design, trimmed with pleating, at, each \$6.75
Sateen Underskirts in Oriental designs, at, each \$6.25
Black Satinette Underskirts with pretty Oriental designs, at, each \$4.25
Colored Sateen Underskirts with flounces of pin tucks and pleated frills, in shades of Rose, Paddy, Purple and Cope, at, each \$2.50

Little Tots Attire

Bootees of Wool in knitted or crocheted designs, pair . 35¢ to 75¢
Mitts of Wool or Silk and Wool, at, per pair 25¢-45¢
Bibs with buttonholed edge and hand embroidery, at 90¢
Bibs, with embroidery edgings, at, each 50¢
Silk Quilted Bibs with lace edge, each 30¢
Bonnetts of White Corduroy, at, each 90¢
Brushed Wool and Knitted Bonnetts, each \$1.25, \$1.65
Babies' Angora Wool Bonnetts, each \$2.90
Infants' "Woolies" in white only, at, per pair \$1.20
Babies' White Silk Caps with tassels, each 70¢
Brushed Wool Cap and Scarf Sets in White only, per set \$2.25
Infants' "Polkas" of White wool with Pink or Blue trimming, at, each \$1.50
Light Weight Knitted Sweater Coats, each \$1.25
Pull-on Sweaters in White with Blue bands and stripes, at \$3.50
Rubber Panties, at, per pair \$1.35
Long Dresses trimmed with fine "Val" lace, pin tucks or pretty embroidery. Prices from, each \$3.00 to \$3.75

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OLD DIPLOMATS STARTLED BY ROWELL MOTION

Fifty Thousand Soldiers under Sod Price Canada Paid European Statesmanship.

Geneva, December 8.—The League of Nations assembly committee on the admission of new states today decided in favor of admitting Luxembourg and Finland into the league of nations.

The question of the admission of the Baltic states and Albania was put over for future consideration.

The Hague, December 8.—Mobilization of one hundred volunteers to participate in the league of nations force to be sent to Vilna to supervise the plebiscite there was ordered today by General Poincaré, the war minister.

Geneva, December 8.—The liveliest motion this assembly has experienced was provoked today by Hon. N. W. Rowell, of Canada, who presented his views regarding European statesmanship in a way that startled diplomats of the old world.

A sharp debate arose over the recommendation of the committee on technical organizations, that the Assembly propose to the governments to set up under the auspices of the League three new organizations, finances, transit and health, with annual conferences on those subjects.

Mr. Rowell objected to the ground that it was impossible for distant countries to send their best men abroad four times a year to attend the Assembly and the conferences, and declared that the result would be to throw these organizations under European influence. The Assembly, he held, should occupy itself with these questions.

Canada, at any rate, he said, felt that they were questions that should not be allowed to fall into European control.

"Fifty thousand Canadian soldiers under the sod in France and Flanders is the price Canada has paid for European statesmanship," he cried, to the astonishment of the entire Assembly and the dismay of the delegates.

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less in their seats with grave faces. Lord Robert Cecil, representing South Africa in the Assembly, in a gentle way softened the blow by saying that he agreed with much that Mr. Rowell had said, but thought Mr. Rowell was mistaken in supposing that the organizations would fall under the control of Europe. He could not go into a debate as to whether "Europe had made its way in the world."

Several of the delegates suggested to Mr. Rowell that his words had created a different impression than he had intended. The Canadian delegate took the floor again and said he did not mean to attack European statesmen, and rather than give offence preferred to withdraw his views.

Mr. Rowell was supported by Mr. Miller, Australia, and was mildly taken to task by Gabriele Hanotzky of France.

Mr. de Freitas Da Cunha, of Brazil, who had offered an amendment, united with the others, however, in agreeing to let the question go over until tomorrow. In the meantime endeavors will be made to arrive at a compromise.

Some of the principal delegates, wearying of the discussions and somewhat discouraged in their efforts to hasten the work of the Assembly, are talking of going home. Mr. Viviani, who has been away from his law practice nearly a month, said he would not stay longer than the end of this week. The general opinion, however, is that it will be impossible to finish before the end of next week, unless the debates are summarily shortened.

WHAT THE GOVERNMENT HAS DONE FOR VETERANS

19,000 veterans settled on farms. \$75,000,000 in grants from L.S.B. \$18,000,000 disbursed to July, 1920. 55,568 applications received. 49,350 successful applicants. 1,000,000 acres of land given. 163 veterans repaid entire loan.

The above statistics give some idea of the extensive work accomplished by the Soldiers' Land Settlement Board up to July, 1920, since the formation of the organization. Although in comparison with applications, few veterans have been actually settled on the land, there are hundreds now qualified and ready to commence settlement work. This year's crop has yielded like a ton of gold to the farmer-soldier, and undoubtedly many will be able to pay off a considerable percentage of their borrowed capital.

LABOR FAILS TO BRING ABOUT AN IRISH TRUCE

London, December 9.—Arthur Henderson, the labor leader, did not see Premier Lloyd George Wednesday, and neither Mr. Henderson nor William Adamson will return to Ireland. It is expected that the labor commission of which they were members, and which has been investigating conditions in that country, will return to London next Tuesday. His intervention in favor of a truce, it is understood, has been unsuccessful. Mr. Henderson questioned on this subject by the parliamentary correspondent of the London Times, replied:

"I am not returning to Ireland; you can draw your own conclusions."

THE BLOODHOUND

There is no substantial reason for the common belief that the bloodhound is a fierce animal, ready to tear to pieces the person whom it may be tracking. It is, on the contrary, rather mild for its gentleness, even seeming timid, unless especially trained to attack. The origin of the breed, according to Count Le Comte de Canteleu, an authority on the subject, is to be found in the Abbey of Hubert's Abbey in the Ardennes. It dates from the earliest ages, and the bloodhound, meaning the bound of pure blood—as might be said of a blooded horse—to distinguish him from the new blood or foxhound. There is only one breed of pure genuine bloodhounds, and that is the English.

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A Capital Affair—The War Loan.

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The Most Popular Air of Last Summer's Season—The sea-breeze.

Farmer's wife: "What do you think of our eggs?" Paying guest: "Too small for their age?"

Angler: "Is this public water, my man?" Rustic: "Yes, it is." Angler: "Then it won't be a crime if I land a fish?" Rustic: "No, it'll be a miracle!"

The Shopping Art—Shop assistant: "What a tiresome customer that woman is!" Her colleague: "Yes; she always knows what she wants, and won't take anything else!"

Hotel manager: "Would you like some views of the hotel?" Guest: "No, it will be better for me to keep my views to myself!"

James: "There is truth in the old saying that 'there's always room at the top.'" Robbs: "Yes, and there's always a place for the poor fellow who's got there!"

Somewhat Mixed—Mr. Jenkins: "Please hurry up! I've waited a long time for you." Mr. Jenkins: "No, you never had a blouse that buttoned before behind!"

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IDLE THOUGHTS OF A BUSY FARMER

We have an old Scotsman for neighbor, Bill Baille by name. When you get to know him, Bill isn't half so bad as those who don't know him say he is. However, Bill journeyed to the city of Wood on the day when U. F.A. Woods was to be unveiled. The city of Wood was to be unveiled. The city of Wood was to be unveiled.

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LYDD GEORGE ON PROGRESS

Millions of gallant young men have fought for the new world. Hundreds of thousands have died to establish it. We will honor the promise given to them we dishonor ourselves. What does a new world mean? What is the old world like? It was a world where toil for myriads of honest workers, men and women, purchased nothing better than equal poverty, anxiety and wretchedness—a world scarred by plagues and disgraced by sweatshops where unemployment through the vicissitudes of industry brought despair to multitudes of humble homes; a world where, side by side with want, there was waste of the inexhaustible riches of the earth, partly through ignorance, partly through entrenched selfishness.

If we renew the lease of that world we shall betray the heroic dead. We shall be guilty of the basest perfidy that ever blackened a people's fame. We shall share out rebirth for ourselves and for our children. The old world must and will come to an end. No, we shall share it up much longer. If there be any who feel inclined to maintain it, let them beware lest it fall upon them and overwhelm them and their households in ruin.

It should be the sublime duty of all without thought of partisanship, to help in building up the new world, where labor shall have its just reward and intolerance alone shall not survive.—(Sgd.) D. Lloyd George, in "The Future."

THE IRISH STEW.

(From The Mail and Empire)
The New York Globe recently published an article by a United States observer who travelled freely around Ireland. He said: "It is easier to get land in Ireland than in Canada, and your produce sells for more. Why is Ireland in rags and Canada in furs? Why is Belgium, after four years of German government, a bustling little anti-bell, while Ireland, after four years of profit and prayer, has nothing but curses for England, and complaints for God? Without a doubt Ireland is the best governed country on earth, at the present time. If the Sinn Féin murders happened in Cripple Creek there would be Colorado Irish who would need to fast to find a bumping off ground." The British are sick of the Irish stew, and would do anything within reason to get rid of the pot of trouble, but what can be done with the Sinn Féin assassin? If these mad extremists had half of the sense of the Scotch or the stolidity of the English, a settlement could be made that would give them self-government, with full control over everything in Nationalist Ireland, except the army and navy. It is time that the outside world recognized that the Nationalist section of Ireland is innocently obsessed with one idea, and that is hatred of British connection, which is the strongest factor in the lives of the Ulster Royalists.

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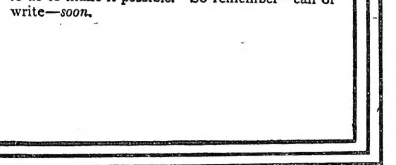
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In the special order issued to the Canadian troops on March 27, 1915, General Sir Arthur Currie wrote: "To those who will fall I say, 'You will not die but step into immortality—your names will be revered forever and over by your grateful country, and God will take you unto Himself.'"

The pledge thus given is being faithfully fulfilled in relation to employees of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company by the placing of bronze memorial tablets at over a score of its principal offices and stations. Furthermore two imposing bronze statuary groups have been designed for the great C.P.R. Stations at Montreal and Winnipeg to stand forever as tributes to the heroism and self-sacrifice of C.P.R. men who died in the cause of freedom. Far-flung and scattered are their graves, but single was their spirit and their ideal, the service of their country.

Out of 11,002 employees who were reported as joining the Forces, 1,696, or nearly ten per cent paid the supreme sacrifice. These came from every rank of the company, from every department, and they served by air, land and sea—faithful unto death.

The bronze tablet, replicas of which will be placed at the principal railway centres in each province of Canada, and also in London, Liverpool and the Orient, has been designed by Mr. Archibald Pearce, of the Chief Engineer's Department of the company, and is being engraved at Worcester, England, by the Bromsgrove Guild and Applied Arts. The tablet depicts an advancing army of infantry, cavalry, artillery, supplies, munitions, tanks and railway transport flanked on either side by a warship and a C.P.R. liner with aeroplanes flying overhead. Britannia calls with outstretched hands to the Overseas Dominions and points out the road to death and glory, while underneath is a scroll with the list of the chief battles in which the C.P.R. men fell. The inscription commemorates:

"Those in the Service of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company who at the call of King and Country, left all that was dear to them, endured hardship, faced danger, and finally passed out of sight of men by the path of duty and self-sacrifice, giving up their own lives that others might live in freedom. 'Let those who come after see to it that their names be not forgotten.'"

The large bronze statuary group which will be duplicated for the C.P.R. Stations at Windsor Street, Montreal and at Winnipeg, is the work of Coeur de Lion MacCarthy, the well known Montreal sculptor, in majestic and impressive allegory, it represents the uplifting of the soul of a hero from the battle lines to that horse from which no traveller returns. The armed figure of a soldier clad in khaki, battle-stained, yet tranquil in death, is borne heavenwards by a winged and laurel wreathed Angel of Victory. The figures in the group are of heroic proportions, over seven feet high, supported upon a marble pedestal. Thus shall the memory of the gallant dead remain in inspiration to their comrades and to the world at large. By their sacrifice for the Empire, they kept clear and open the



POULTRY MEN MEET

The Red Deer Poultry and Pet Stock Association met in annual meeting in the city hall on Wednesday evening. The Red Deer Poultry and Pet Stock Association met in annual meeting in the city hall on Wednesday evening. The Red Deer Poultry and Pet Stock Association met in annual meeting in the city hall on Wednesday evening.

second poultry show at Red Deer, the first week in February, in the Hamilton block, Quetz Ave. North. Cordell was reported upon and revised, and Messrs. Stanway, Trauman and Byers appointed to see to its publication. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Hon. President—Hon. Duncan Marshall.
Hon. Vice Presidents—J. J. Gault, M.P., Mayor-elect Collins, E. W. Bjorkeland.

President—Thos. S. Stanway, re-elected.
Vice President—Dr. George.
2nd Vice President—T. B. Rutter.
Sec'y-Treasurer—W. B. Trauman, re-elected.
Executive—Officers and Sgt. Smith, A.P.P. B. P. Alford, N. M. Burnett, H. K. Byers, W. Anthony, Alex. Robertson, A. J. Goodey, Ed. Gerhike, Wm. Milne, L. J. Porter, Arch. Taylor.
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1st Balcony	\$3.00
Second Balcony (1st 3 rows)	\$2.00
Second Balcony (Next 3 rows)	\$1.50

Friday and Saturday Nights, December 24th and 25th, and Saturday Matinee.

Box Seats	\$3.50
Loge Seats	\$3.50
Orchestra	\$3.50
1st Balcony (1st 3 rows)	\$2.50
1st Balcony (Next 3 rows)	\$2.00
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NOTICE

WATER RATES—

Water may be shut off services in arrears of water rates without further notice.

MEAT INSPECTION—

Chief of Police Anderson has been appointed meat inspector for the City. Every person, firm or corporation who brings within the limits of the City of Red Deer any meat or fish shall, before offering the same for sale, have the same inspected by the Meat Inspector under this By-law, and shall at the time of such inspection produce the heart and lungs of any animal (other than poultry or fish), the carcass of which it is proposed to offer for sale within the City of Red Deer.

The penalty for violation of this By-law is a fine not exceeding \$50.00.

A. T. STEPHENSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

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CRUELTY INCREASE UNDER PROHIBITION

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THE WEEKLY SERMON

By Rev. G. D. Armstrong

And the vessel that he made of clay was marred in the hand of the potter; so he made it again another vessel, as seemed good to the potter to make it. —Jer. 18:4.

In the academy of fine arts at Florence there is a statue of David, as he slings the stone at the head of Goliath. This statue has an interesting history. The marble from which it was chiselled was originally destined for another statue, but the workman had chipped out a large piece out of the side of the marble block, so that it could not be used. For a century it lay waste, until one day, Michael Angelo, looking at it, saw in it new possibilities, and with artistic skill used the defect in the block of marble to form the curve of the shepherd's body as he poised in readiness for combat.

The prophet Jeremiah lived in a dark period of Israel's history. The nation was hastening to destruction. The soul of the prophet was torn as he foresaw the ruin of his country. With despondent mind and questioning faith he wandered through one of the pottery works of Palestine and watched the potter at his work. In the hand of the potter a vessel was marred, but the master-craftsman did not throw the spoiled vessel out to the rubbish heap. Instead of so doing he formed a new design and used the clay to express his skill.

As the despairing prophet watched the workman at his task, finding a new use for what had been broken, a ray of light and hope flashed into his soul. The potter's vessel became a symbol of the life of Israel and the potter's skill set forth the directing and restoring energy of God. The sovereign power of Jehovah furnished a real reason for hope, and even punishment to the nation is not directed by destructive force but rather fulfils a redemptive purpose.

A man had fitted up an electrical device to light his apartments, but it proved to be a failure. The light flickered and finally died out. An electrician was called in and his judgment was that the cause of failure was lack of power. The machine could not be used for lighting purposes, but it had sufficient power to operate a call bell. It has been suggested that often a religious life which does not give much light, may yet have power to make a great deal of noise.

As we have come to understand the laws of nature better, we have learned that nature makes a wise use of her forces and conserves her energy—nothing is lost. In the realm of industry, a similar economy is being exercised. What once was regarded as waste material, is being utilized by scientific management, and often the by-products of factories prove to be almost as valuable as the main output.

It is not a cause for wonder then that the simple lessons of nature reveal to us the sublime principles of divine activity, and we learn that redemption is not merely a theological doctrine, but a law that runs through all life.

"That nothing walks with aimless feet."

And not one life shall be destroyed, Or cast as rubbish to the void, When God has made his pile complete."

In some of our great industrial concerns today as a business method the lives of workmen are studied with a view to increasing the efficiency of the individual. If a workman is not successful in one line of work, he is put at some other form of labor instead of being ruthlessly dismissed. Patience, sympathetic, patient and scientific effort is made to understand the life of the craftsman that the best that is in him may be used in the place where his energy and skill may be used to greatest advantage. It would be strange indeed if in managing the affairs of the universe the Divine Creator should use methods less worthy than those used by the wisdom of man; if here, indeed, "the creature should surpass the Creator."

It is high time that religious teaching should recognize the contribution that progressive methods of business have made in helping us to interpret the divine economy. God judges men, not by what they do alone, but by what they are. So recognizing reasons—"Not of the vulgar mass called 'work'—mere sentence pass. Things done that took the eye and had the price."

Over which, from level stand, the low world laid its hand. Found straightway to its mind, could value in a trice. But all the world's coarse thumb and finger failed to plumb. So passed in making up the main account.

All I could never be, all men ignored in me. This, I was worth to God, whose wheel the pitcher shaped. The rule of God in human life is not a matter of chance, but of unerring precision and wisdom. "All things work together for good." If we are not in an attitude to take the best from God or to do the best for Him, He does not utterly forsake us or cast us off as worthless. The wisdom of God is directed toward rescuing the perishing, and His love delights to crown the repentant prodigal with the humiliating, unifying experience of a father's blessing. God in His patience is content till man shall understand. However the wheels of life may turn, or the shuttle of for-

tune may take its devious course, there shall yet come from the looms of time the finished product which shall express the wisdom and the skill of the Eternal.

M.D. OF PINE LAKE

Close on \$10,000 of Arrears Collected

This Year—Considering as to Sending Bylaw to Ratepayers to Determine Whether Assessment should be Made on a Valuation or Acreage Basis—Preparing for Municipal Elections—Reve's Report on Provincial M.D. Convention—Road Diversions.

The December meeting of the Council of the M.D. of Pine Lake was held at the Secretary's office on Tuesday afternoon. There were present Reeve Pike, in the chair; Councillors Darrough, Reay, Pixley, Walde, McKinnon and Secretary-Treasurer Trusman.

Mr. J. Bower wanted the Council to compromise the 1929 taxes on two blocks in Alberta Park and two blocks in Depot Addition. The Council could not compromise until the taxes became arrears.

The amount received through the tax sale was about \$5,500. Close to \$10,000 had been collected in all arrears in 1929.

Councillors Pixley and Walde inspected the culverts on the new Government road in West Park, an accident having been reported there. They found a sufficient 22 ft. culvert, and the accident on the Patterson hill.

Mr. Pike gave an admirable report of amendments to the M.D. Act considered at the Provincial convention. Wild Land Tax was refunded, on Julius McIntosh's place, section 8-36-36, W. 4th, for 1918-19, and on J. M. Reids place, east half 34-27-36, W. 4th, for the same years.

Thos. F. Dubson, Milnerton, was offered \$250 in settlement of account.

The Council had no authority to make a grant to the Memorial Fund.

Geo. M. Lawrence, Hillside, asked \$4250 for nearly three acres of land taken for road diversion on S.E. 27-37-25, W. 4th.

The Council will buy a computing typewriter for \$772, payment over five years, to assist the Secretary in his tax arrears work. The Council was quite satisfied as to the wisdom and necessity of this equipment.

Election Officers

Mr. W. P. Code was chosen as returning officer for the 1931 election, nomination on February 20. The deputy returning officers will be: Div. 1—J. B. Herbert, M. Walton. Div. 2—H. Gulliver, M. Walton. Div. 3—A. D. McKenzie, Chris. White. Div. 4—C. J. Bacon, H. Cronquist. Div. 5—J. Ross. Div. 6—

Mr. C. A. Julian-Sharman was granted refund of taxes for military service.

Bylaw re Valuation

The Secretary was instructed to draft a bylaw as to valuation or taxes shall be levied on a valuation basis next year. While an assessment on value has been made in the district for the Supplementary Revenue Act, the equalization with other municipal districts has not been made.

Mr. Bruyners submitted plans of surveys for diversions of the lower end of the road down past the Hillsdown school and joining the east and west road at the north end of Pine Lake. The Secretary will file the plans and, on notice of approval of the Director of Surveys, steps will be taken in accordance with the provisions of the Supplementary Revenue Act, the equalization with other municipal districts has not been made.

Accounts

The following accounts were passed for payment, subject to slight revision in some cases: D. Shepherd, braising, etc., between 25 and 24-35-24-4, one half mile, 43¢; H. B. Wilton, hauling plank, install to Milnerton bridge, \$6; P. A. Hoskin, drugging roads, Div. 2, \$7.20; Day Hardware Co., 44; Smith Lumber Co., \$107.90, \$23.40, \$42.50, \$1.90; W. P. Code, drugging road, Div. 5, \$1.50; R. Bruyners, surveying in 37-26, W. 4th, \$15; R. D. Williams, work putting in culvert, etc., in Div. 5, 43¢; A. W. Fead, blacksmithing, \$16.65; Jones, Scott & McLaurin, attending with Secretary-Treasurer at tax sale, \$3; expenses attending M. D. convention—W. E. Trusman \$30; R. E. Pike \$28.25; D. W. McKinnon \$28.20; Gaetz-Cornett Co., \$2.00; Red Deer Advocate, \$6.49; Red Deer News, publishing tax arrears sale list, etc., \$291.75; Western Municipal News, \$9.29; C. L. H. Walde, laying out and inspecting work, \$14.00, attending meetings, \$9.20; R. E. Pike, attending meetings, \$25.20; John Reay, attending meetings, \$10.00; D. W. McKinnon, attending meetings, \$10.00; stamps, telephone, express, etc., \$38.28; Jas. Darrough, attending meetings and inspections, \$24.40; E. H. Pixley, laying out and inspecting work \$40.00; pay sheets \$6 to 75 \$250.55.

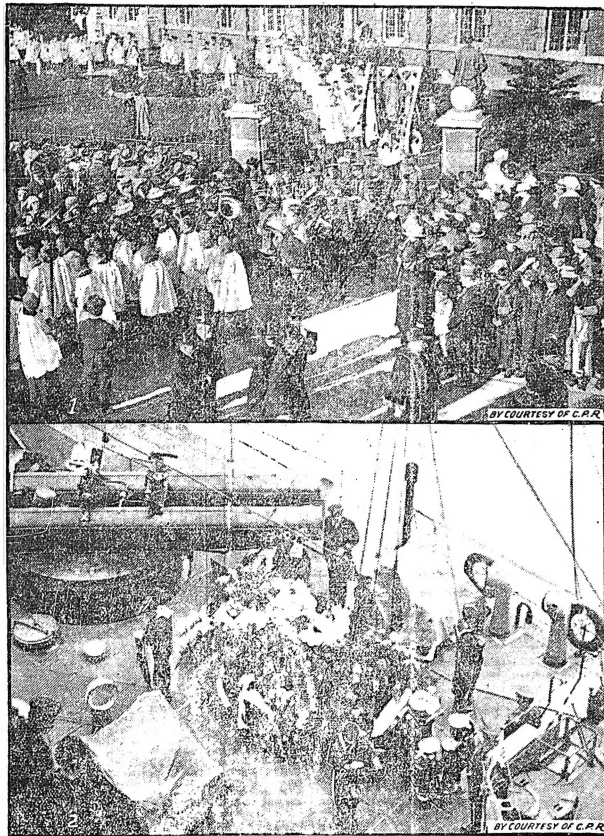
The meeting adjourned to the latter end of January at the call of the chair.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish, through this means, to convey my grateful thanks to my neighbors and friends who showed me such kindness during my recent illness; and to the Jacques-Orme Funeral Home their prompt and efficient ambulance service and careful treatment when conveying me to the Hospital.

N. L. STRINGER.

Picture News From Europe



(1) Church Congress at Southend, Belgium — Head of Procession Leaving the High School for St. Mary's Church, Pittville.
(2) The Arrival of the Unknown Hero at Dover, England—Bluejackets on Guard Over the Body on Board the "Verdun" at Dover.

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—VEAL—
Stewing Veal, 10c to 15c per lb.
Roast Veal 15c to 25c per lb.
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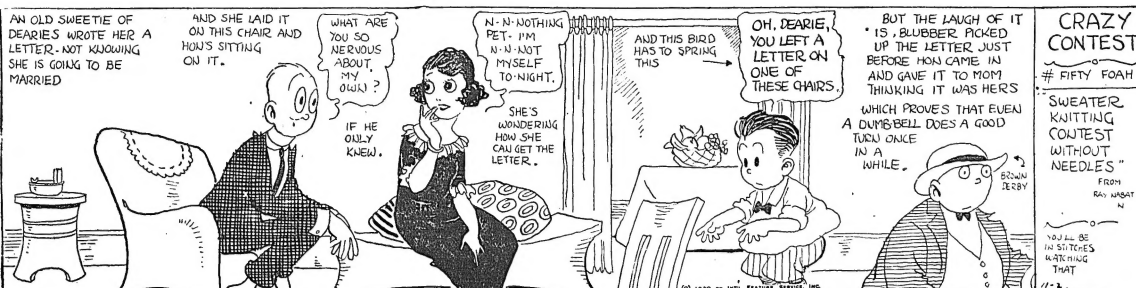
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WHAT ARE YOU SO NERVOUS ABOUT, MY OWL?

N-I-NOTHING FET-PM N-I-NOTHING MYSELF TO-NIGHT.

OH, DEARIE, YOU LEFT A LETTER ON ONE OF THESE CHAIRS.

BUT THE LAUGH OF IT 'IS BLUBBER, PICKED UP THE LETTER JUST BEFORE HON CAME IN AND GAVE IT TO MOM THINKING IT WAS HER'S

WHICH PROVES THAT EVEN A DUMB-BELL DOES A GOOD TURN ONCE IN A WHILE.

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PROHIBITION STATEMENT

To All Interested in the Recent Prohibition Campaign:
On behalf of the Red Deer Central Executive we have pleasure in submitting a financial statement of all money that was received by our local treasurer. The reason that the expenses were so small is because a splendid brigade of volunteers gave their services free in this contest. About 10 days help from official organizers all the work was done by volunteers in town and country, with the central executive directing the campaign. That the work was well done is evident in the result. The money sent to Edmonton was to help pay for literature and for organization work in other constituencies. Although we asked that all money raised in the constituency should go through our treasurer's hands, a few hundred dollars were sent direct. The local statement could not give an account of this. It has been a privilege to be associated with so many splendid workers all over the district.

V. G. BROWN, Chairman
L. J. PORTER, Secretary

Receipts	
Chautauqua Collection	\$ 51.25
Mrs. McClung Address	1.00
Election Night Collection	12.50
Local and Rural Canvass	433.90
Total	\$511.61

Disbursements	
Social Service League	\$200.00
R. M. Wilson	50.00
W. G. Brown	1.17
Mechanical Garage	7.50
O. W. Thorne	4.00
Mr. McLennan	53.00
George Ely	2.50
C. P. R. Telegraph	15.00
Advocate	49.25
News Publishing Co.	9.00
H. G. Stone	7.00
J. G. Coughlin	1.00
Dave Ross	2.00
Gaetz-Cornett	5.65
L. J. Porter, (Telegrams)	2.00
Stationery	.30
Balance in Bank	27.76
Total	\$511.61

C. J. MALCOLM, Treasurer
Examined and found correct, December 2nd, 1929.
JAS. A. YOUNG, Auditor

NEWS IN A NUT SHELL

Fire losses in Canada in November amounted to \$2,769,800.

Unemployment situation occupying attention of cabinet ministers at Ottawa.

D. M. McKinnon, assistant post office inspector at Moose Jaw, has died.

Plans being worked out at Winnipeg to market next year's crop on cooperative basis.

Machinery to put economic blockade into effect, discussed at League of Nations meeting.

Marital law is to be applied in certain areas of Ireland, Premier Lloyd George announced.

It is possible that the committee on mandates will not report at this sitting of league of nations.

Premier Lloyd George expected to announce conditions of possible Irish truce in house of commons.

Duncan McPherson, prominent railway engineer, applies for post of Canadian Railway commissioner.

Decision to invite former King Constantine to return to Greece, has been reached by the government.

Cardinal Gasparri, the papal secretary of state, asks for help in settling flame trouble without bloodshed.

J. Russell Kennedy, general manager of the famous Kokoi News agency of Japan, has arrived in Vancouver.

Picard, Pictet & Co., the largest shipping concern in Switzerland, has failed with liabilities of \$500,000.

The American Sugar Refining company has declared a reduction of 10 per cent. in wages, 2,500 men being affected.

Attorney-General Ramey of Toronto has advised all police officers to be on end to illegal carrying of deadly weapons.

Unemployed shipbuilding employees on the eastern coast will convene at Montreal to discuss the unemployment situation.

The Norwegian steamer Romaldsfjord ran ashore on a sunken ledge at Sambro, off Halifax harbor. No loss of life reported.

The Noble peace prize for 1919 and 1920 will be presented at Christiania to Leon Burgess and Woodrow Wilson respectively.

Terrific earthquake shocks have occurred in Choluteca, southern Honduras, according to reports received from San Salvador.

One of the first acts of the new administration of U. S. will be to make peace with Germany, states Senator Leavitt of Wisconsin.

An amendment to the Johnson Immigration bill limiting the embargo on immigration from two to one year, adopted by Congress.

Marital law has been proclaimed in City and County of Cork, in the city and County Limerick, and in the counties of Tipperary and Kerry.

Railway traffic between Belgium and Germany has been suspended in both directions, it is stated. Much talk of German coup d'état.

A bomb was thrown among members of the Rumanian senate when it assembled, and two ministers were killed and others wounded.

A proposal to form a local joint industrial board, which was placed before the builders' exchange at Montreal, has been turned down.

Board of conciliation to deal with dispute between employees of C. N. R. and management of system, appointed by minister of labor.

The Rev. Von Dryander, private minister to former German Emperor, states Empress may be well enough to share in Christmas festivities.

Large sums of money for use of miners in the Ruhr district, misappropriated by the Berlin government, Premier Leger of France claims.

Can. E. A. Burroughs, of Great Britain, tells the United States people that self-determination is but half truth, and that it should be checked.

James Fowler, a one-eyed one-legged veteran of the war, arrested on charge of burglary by same officer who gave him food and money one hour before.

Alignment of delegates of France and Japan against Great Britain, Italy and U. S. occurred at convention of International Communications, of Washington.

A campaign against reduction of wages and lengthening of working hours has been begun by 50,000 members of Central Labor union of Toledo, Ohio.

Joe Priest, of Grandview, Man., was found in a dying condition in the woods near Poulton, Man. It is thought that he was accidentally shot while hunting.

SOUTH ALBERTA HERDS THRIVING ON OPEN RANGES

HON. A. J. McLEAN SAYS CONDITIONS GOOD FOR RANCHERS WITH FEED SUPPLY AMPLE.

In contrast with the severe conditions of last winter, livestock on the ranges of southern Alberta is benefiting this season with the finest weather and the best feeding conditions in many years.

Hon. A. J. McLean, minister of public works, after spending a few days in the south country, for the most part at his ranch at Pincher Creek, the ranges are fairly abounding in excellent feed as a result of the favorable season during the last summer and autumn, and the entire absence of snow and continued mild weather to date has enabled cattle and horses to live almost entirely off the prairie pastures.

Mr. McLean, in spite of the somewhat serious depletion of the southern herds last winter and spring as a result of feed scarcity, the ranchers were able to carry over the bulk of their breeding stock and with prices holding low at present cattle reserves are being built up again as one of the veteran ranchers of the province says.

In fact, a certain compensation in the lower prices prevailing for cattle at the present time, farmers and ranchers will be content to keep valuable breeding stock which will enable the province to be fully stocked up again, whereas with high prices and depleted herds to say nothing of deflated grain prices, the situation might have been made still more serious for the stock-raising industry of the near future.

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LIVING STILL SOARS IN FRANCE

As a result of the still soaring cost of living, hundreds of thousands of Frenchmen are no longer able to afford a daily meal of meat or eggs. Milk and bread have also risen until they are six times pre-war prices—despite all efforts by the government at "price control." More revolutionary yet, a large proportion of Frenchmen have taken to drinking water because ordinary wine, formerly far more plentiful than water, is priced at a scale beyond their means. Spurred by the general outcry the government has instituted a committee to deal with the bounding cost of living. A careful survey of all the most recent statistics regarding the cost of living reveals the startling fact that many necessities have doubled in price within the past three months. Not a single instance has been found of any article reduced in price. This winter will be the darkest for the French people since 1914.

KEEPING AT WORK

You long for the day to come when you shall have put aside money enough to retire from business. You long for a life of reposeful, do-nothing ease. That, perhaps, is not a surprising longing, particularly if you are now a hard worker. But is about the most foolish longing you can entertain.

For, though you evidently do not suspect this, it is practically a longing for a life of groans and aches and discomfort, and perhaps an untimely death.

The wise among men never really retire from business. It is true they may drop out of the trade or business or profession in which they have been gainfully engaged.

But in one way or another they still keep at work, instinctively appreciating that to do otherwise is to endanger life itself.

ARE YOU PALE FACED? DO YOU NEED A TONIC?

THEN GET VITAL TABLETS

Lack of blood causes all sorts of diseases and trouble. The disease germs attack you much easier. You are down and out before you know it. To make blood take Vital Tablets. They are a wonderful blood maker. If you have lots of pure blood, you can throw off a lot of things that otherwise would be impossible. Vital Tablets are a great tonic, not only will they make blood, but they will build you up. Go to your druggist and get a box. Price 50c a box or 6 for \$2.50. The Scofield Drug Co., Montreal.

Practical Suggestions For the Christmas Shopper

There is nothing you can give your friends or loved ones that will be more appreciated or more acceptable than a nice piece of furniture for the home. When you give furniture you give not only for this year but for years to come. It will stand a constant reminder of the giver.

We are Showing a Fine Selection of Practical Gifts which are Moderately Priced, consisting of:

Large Upholstered Arm Chairs
Comfortable Rockers
Couches; Daybeds
Library Tables; Den Tables
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Jardinieres; Stands; Tea Trays (made to order)
Pretty Framed Pictures
Floor Mats; Congoleum Rugs
Ladies Desks; Dressing Tables
Chiffoniers; Buffets; Dining Tables
Kitchen Cabinets
Fancy Art Tapestries for Draperies
Beautiful Brass and Steel Beds
Fine Restful Coil Springs
Felt Mattresses; and other useful gifts.

For the Kiddies We Have

Sleighs of all Sizes
Express Waggon
Rowing Waggon; Kiddies' Cars
Rocking Horses; Doll Carriages
Toy Sets, consisting of a Table and either 2 or 4 Chairs
Children's Rockers and Arm Chairs
Also some extra fine High Chairs

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The price of Overalls is down. We are now selling any of the best lines at, per pair **\$3.00**

Stanfield's Blue Label Underwear **7.50**

Stanfield's Blue Label Underwear, per suit **\$7.50**

\$18.00 Shoes now \$10

Hartt Shoes that sold as high as \$18.00 are now selling at **\$10.00** (This price is below wholesale today)

"Just Wright" Shoes in the staple lasts, black or brown, are now selling at, per pair **\$10.00**

OUR SLOGAN: Back to Pre-War Prices and Pre-War Quality.

Useful Gifts for Men

We are trimming up our tables now with Christmas Novelties which make lovely gifts. A beautiful assortment of Neckwear, Gloves, Scarfs, Handkerchiefs in boxes, Slippers, Smoking Jack-ets, etc.

We invite you to compare our goods and prices with others, including mail order houses.

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Hon's Eyes Match the Grass

RECEPTION TO ARCHBISHOP O'LEARY

Archbishop O'Leary, the new head of the Roman Catholic archdiocese of Edmonton, in which Red Deer is situated, had his first reception in his own jurisdiction at Red Deer on Tuesday morning on his way to Edmonton. The Sisters and pupils of St. Joseph's Convent, Rev. Father Volin, and other members of the Red Deer parish were down at the train to meet the Archbishop, who interrupted his dinner to come out and meet them. He was presented with a lovely bouquet, and spoke a few words of greeting and good wishes, with the Episcopal benediction. Among those meeting him were three members of the O'Leary family, viz. Mrs. C. J. Butler, and her sons, Mrs. Callaghan and Miss Leary, who with Mrs. Callaghan are visiting here, and the Archbishop was quite interested in their lineage.

Rev. Father Volin went on to Edmonton with the party for the official reception there. Rev. Father Pilon, capitular vicar of the archdiocese of Edmonton, and Rev. Father Naessens, acting provincial of the Oblate Order in Northern Alberta, and Rev. Father Leconte, of Canora, met the Archbishop's party at Red Deer. His Grace was accompanied by Archbishop Sinnott of Winnipeg, Archbishop Matthew of Regina, Bishop McVail, of Calgary, Bishop Budka, and other dignitaries of the church. The new head of the diocese is a tall, striking figure, 41 years old, with gray hair, and a young, cheery face. That he was chosen bishop at 41, and now has been appointed to such a responsible post as that of archbishop in the extensive and rapidly growing diocese of Edmonton, speaks volumes for the trust reposed in him by his superiors. He is the youngest archbishop and has the largest diocese in North America.

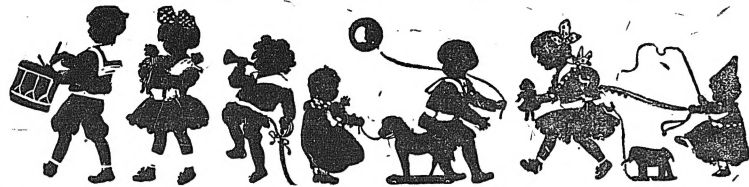
HOSPITAL COMMISSIONERS

At the meeting of the Hospital Commissioners on Tuesday, the Secretary was instructed to send statements to all those owing the Hospital, and if no response is received within a reasonable time, the accounts will be handed to the solicitors for collection. The Board finds it absolutely necessary to clean up the outstanding accounts in order to finance the year. The Lady

Superintendent was also directed to collect, if possible, Hospital fees one week in advance from all patients in private wards and to arrange settlement from every patient on leaving the Hospital.

The Hospital is very short of fresh vegetables, which can be left down town, and is prepared to pay the highest cash price for fresh eggs.

Plastering and kalsomining is being carried on, and new kitchen utensils purchased. The I.O.O.F. were heartily thanked for the collection of \$185 to furnishing a diet kitchen on the second floor which will greatly relieve the work of the staff.



Have You Been to Brazier's?

Have you seen the tables at 15¢ and 25¢ filled to overflowing with Christmas goods? Have you seen the wonderful display of Toys that seem almost human? Have you seen the scores of games, picture books, blocks, etc., that are so popular at this time? Have you seen the dolls that range in price from 10¢ up to that beautiful baby doll at \$16.00? Have you visited the China Department where there are so many articles that make dainty gifts?

If you haven't been to Brazier's there is a delightful surprise in store for you. You will find that your Christmas Gift money will go further than you expected. You can get what you want at the price you want to pay. We are proud of our goods and prices. Come in and get acquainted with both. Come early and bring the kiddies.

Doll Buggy Special

FOR THE WEEK-END

All metal with rubber tired wheels, English body, 19 inches, at \$5.50
Same as above but 17 inch body, at \$5.00
In black or tan. None reserved at these prices.

Horses, Carts, etc.

Swing Horses, body and platform made of solid wood with saddle, hair tail and mane; length over all, 31 inches. Special \$12.50

Same as above but larger size, at \$18.00

Wood Horse on platform, with four wheels and handle at the head; can be used for coaster or pull car; 19 inches long, 22 inches high, at \$4.50

Heavy Velocipedes, aluminum finish, heavy rubber tires, at \$9.50, \$10.50 and \$12.50

Horse and Cart 85¢ and \$1.50

Dump Cart, red and yellow wheels, with big size horse, at \$3.50

Horse and Big Express Wagon with four wheels at \$4.00

BIG DOLL SPECIALS



15 inch Jointed Doll, with wig and moving eyes, delivered \$3.50

22 inch Doll, crying, with hair, unbreakable body, dressed like a baby. Reg. \$16.50 for \$14.00

Same as above without hair. Regular \$13.50, at each \$11.00

21-inch Jointed Doll with moving eyes, composition body; real strong. Strictly a first quality doll at \$4.50

Baby Doll, 12 inches, with moving eyes and lots of hair, composition body, for \$3.50

Baby Doll, 14 inches, with moving, and hair, composition body, for \$4.75

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1½ qt. Percolator Coffee Pot \$3.00

3 qt. Percolator Coffee Pot at \$4.50

Also at \$5.25, \$5.50 and \$6.00 each

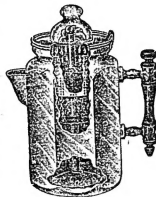
Tea Pots, at \$2.75 up to \$6.50

Big Roaster for the Xmas turkey \$7.50

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Dinner Sets with gold band, 51 pieces, at \$16.50
A light green decoration, (Lonsdale) 51 pieces at \$22.00
with breakfast plates instead of dinner plates.

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Take advantage of our Specials, because they go quick.

English China Tea Set, 17 pieces, A 1 Quality Special \$17.00

40 piece Tea Set with flower and blue bird decoration, very fine china, at \$20.00

China Plates, of the first quality dinner, at \$9.50

Tea Plates, per dozen \$6.50

Bread and Butter Plates at \$6.25

Soup Plates, per dozen \$7.50

These plates can be used as rail plates, cake plates, or fruit bowls; they are worth while investigating. They are worth more than the common dinner ware plates, and we charge less.

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OVER TWO MILLION DOLLARS ARE DERIVED BY GOVERNMENT AT SALES OF SCHOOL LANDS HELD IN PROVINCE

Alberta Department of Education Will Shortly Benefit to Extent of Another \$100,000 Annually From Proceeds of This Sum Retained by Dominion—Donalda Sale Topped All Records for the Fourteen Auctions—Oskotska Has High Mark for Average Price Per Acre.

Sales of school lands held under federal direction throughout the province during the last month have resulted in a grand total of \$2,049,153 being obtained for the purposes of education in Alberta, this sum to be added to the principal funds retained by the Dominion from which the interest proceeds are returned to this province in annual instalments.

New records with general wild land values have been set up by these fourteen auction sales held at various points in the province. A total acreage of 116,608 was disposed of at an average price of \$17.73 an acre. Taking into consideration the fact that a great deal of the land offered was some distance from railway facilities, the net results came as a surprise even to the minister of education and officials in the department. The sales were brought on at the solicitation of Hon. G. P. Smith, and in consequence of the success that followed the auction, particularly in northern Alberta, the provincial exchequer will benefit by at least another \$100,000 annually in interest allowance from the federal department. With the \$700,000 or so already derived from this source, the annuity from Ottawa for educational needs in the province will reach well over \$800,000 in another year.

RESULTS CHECKED UP. At these sales the province had a representative for the first time, P. E. Butchart, of Edmonton, checking up results for the local department of education. The returns show that the sale at Donalda overshadowed all the other events with a total sale of \$435,632. Oskotska was a respectable runner-up in the auctions, with a showing of \$368,012 for the day's work, and an average price per acre of \$24.30. Mr. Butchart says the first ten parcels of land offered at this sale sold for \$10,000, or an average of \$25 an acre without a break. Other sales in the south were not so good, and the average for the province was reduced considerably by the poor showing made at a few points.

Some of the best individual sales in the province were instigated at the Donalda auction, in the opinion of Mr. Butchart, who says two quarter-sections were knocked down for \$48.25 an acre, with the land twelve miles from the railway in the Water Glen district. In this same district, one section sold for \$38.25 and another for \$28.50. A top price of \$73 an acre was realized during the day at Donalda. At Lebue, the price received was \$51 an acre and at Wetaskiwin \$53 an acre was paid for one parcel. The results at the several sales, and the average price per acre, were as follows:

SOME OF THE DETAILS

At Viking, 5,576 acres were sold for \$149,621, an average of \$17.45 an acre. At Consort, 4,221 acres were sold for \$63,554, an average of \$14.82. At Innisfail, 1,577 acres were sold for \$19,151, an average of \$12.14. Practically all this land was remote from the town. At Didsbury, 4,899 acres were sold for \$80,754, an average of \$16.41 an acre. At Elkville, 7,930 acres were sold for \$106,307, an average of \$13.42. At Cochrane, 8,436 acres were sold for \$117,629, an average of \$13.94. At Macleod, 10,050 acres were sold for \$99,082, an average of \$9.86. At Jenner, only 353 acres were sold for \$31,363, an average of \$14.32 an acre. At Cardston, 1,127 acres were sold for \$10,737, an average of \$9.53 an acre. At Oskotska, 15,153 acres were sold for \$368,012, an average of \$24.30 an acre.

OKOTOKS HAS HIGHEST FIGURE

At Donalda, 21,660 acres were sold for \$435,632, an average of \$20.11 an acre. Although Oskotska thus holds the honors for the highest average per acre, practically all the land sold there was closely situated to town and railway facilities. It is estimated that about one-fourth of the total area advertised for sale by the Dominion at these various auctions was disposed of. The remainder will revert to the status of reserved lands and will be held until offered at sales to be fixed for future years.

RANCHER HAD TO GET QUICK RELIEF

Says He Couldn't Have Kept Going Much Longer If It Hadn't Been For Tanlac

"If I hadn't got hold of Tanlac when I did I could not have stayed on the ranch," said Henry Robertson, a well-known ranchman, living at Port Kells, B.C.

"About six months ago my stomach got into a mighty bad fix. I just had to force down everything I ate, and the little that I did eat always hurt me. Always after eating I bloated up with gas until I could hardly get my breath, and sometimes felt like I was going to smother. Often I became so nauseated I could hardly stand anything. My head ached all the time, and I would get dizzy, and was badly constipated, too. My nerves were up-strung and at night I often rolled and tossed for hours before I could get to sleep, and in the morning felt too tired to move. The least exertion would tire me out and I was getting weaker every day.

"I had heard a lot about Tanlac and decided to give it a trial, and haven't had a headache since I finished the first bottle. I have taken four bottles of Tanlac now and my appetite is so good I can eat just anything and everything and never have a particle of trouble afterwards. I sleep like a baby at night and get up in the morning ready for a big breakfast and a big day's work on the ranch. If I ever get into a fix like I had I will right this minute I don't know when it was, and the best of it is, it is the regular thing for me to feel that way now."

Tanlac is sold in Red Deer by Gaetz-Cornett Drug & Book Co., and by the leading druggist in every town.

DEMANDS BECOMING INSISTENT

Lifting of Embargo Against Canadian Cattle Finding Many Supporters.

London, December 9.—Demands that the embargo on the export of Canadian cattle to England be removed is growing daily. Agricultural experts here say the price of home meat will not rise until the embargo is lifted. In England, where the demand for Canadian cattle is growing, the removal of the Canadian embargo, which has prevented Canadian cattle coming here since 1892, except for slaughter, is cited as the solution of the problem. The Canadian government, which has been asked to lift the embargo, is said to be considering the matter. The city corporation of London has decided to call a conference on cattle imports. Phere Neal, chairman of the cattle markets committee, said, "I am afraid unless some action is done to increase the stock, England will face a crisis in eighteen months or two years. The corporation of Glasgow in 1915 proposed the introduction of Canadian cattle, but the annual meeting of the Royal Agricultural Society at Cardiff opposed it. The opposition was based on the likelihood of the introduction of disease, but I have the assurance of two officials of the Canadian ministry of agriculture and Sir George Perley, that there is no fear of infection from that source, and there has been no case of a cattle disease in the Dominion for thirty-three years."

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TORONTO SURGEON PERFORMS UNUSUAL CHILD OPERATION

Toronto, December 8.—An unusual operation, has been performed in St. Michael's hospital, this city, upon a 16-day old girl, who was born with a misdeveloped "twin" attached to her at the base of the spine. The "parasitic" as the surgeons term such a growth, grew with the baby's growth and is said to have weighed five pounds. It occasionally underwent spontaneous contractions independent of the living child.

On the unusual growth, technically termed a "multilocular cyst," two large black spots had appeared, and this determined the doctors immediately interested in the case to have the growth removed in order to save the life of the baby. Dr. Eldon Silvertown performed the operation, which is said to have been successful.

Telephone No. 383

BIRDS AND GLASS

It has been frequently noticed that no wild bird can understand the properties of glass, and great numbers, ranging in size from a pheasant to a grouse, are killed by flying against the windows of country houses.

If a room possesses a large mirror reflecting the view seen through an open window, birds are particularly liable to be deceived, and especially if frightened, into thinking they can fly through it.

Sparrowshawk will sometimes chase their intended victims into strange places. Some years ago a number of this species pursued a small bird through the open window of a railway carriage in motion. In its blind determination to secure the panting fugitive it entangled its claws in the meshes of a hat-rack, and was eventually slain by an astonished passenger with an umbrella.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

CHANGE IN Daily Train Service

Effective Sunday, October 3rd, 1920.

TRANS-CANADA Limited, trains 7 & 8 & 10 will be withdrawn. Last train from Montreal October 2nd. Last train from Vancouver, October 2nd. O-PACIFIC Express, Trains 13 & 14 will be withdrawn. Last train from St. Paul October 2nd; last train from Vancouver October 2nd.

The following new service will be inaugurated: Calgary to Macleod & return, daily except Sunday. 5.50 a.m. Lv. Calgary Ar. 7.00 p.m. 1.00 p.m. Ar. Macleod Lv. 3.00 p.m. *Daily Except Sunday.

Times for trains at Red Deer will be:

Northbound Southbound
No. 525, 3.55 a.m. No. 526, 3.55 a.m.
No. 521, 12.35 p.m. No. 522, 12.35 p.m.
No. 523, 5.50 p.m. No. 524, 4.50 p.m.
*Daily Except Sunday.

ALBERTA CENTRAL SUBDIVISION
No. 613—Monday, Wednesday and Friday, leave 1.30 p.m.
No. 614—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, arrive 11.45 a.m.

For further particulars apply to any ticket agent.

J. E. PROCTOR,
District Passenger Agent, Calgary.

We Deal in

EAVEY ROOFING
ROOFING
GALVANIZED TANKS
PLUMBING
& REPAIRING

In all lines where artistic work is required we shine.

We Solicit Your Patronage

N. M. Burnett
at
W. E. LORD Co.'s, Ltd.

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Builder and
Contractor

Estimates Cheerfully Given.
Address—
P.O. Box 374 or Phone 328

Quality, Courtesy, Service.

Each form a part in our business and the public will find us always ready to fill their orders.

CUNNINGHAM MEAT MARKET
Phone 88

DR. MCEWAN

and his Brother,
A. A. MCEWAN

Have taken over the
COTTLE BARN
(South of the Windsor Garage)

as a Feed and Sales Stable,
and are now open for
business.

Dr. McEwan has moved his
office from the Old Hewson
Barn to the new place of
business.

Telephone No. 383

JOHN REID

Shoemaker
Has removed his shop to one
door west of J. O. Brazier's
Store, where he hopes to see all
his old customers.

Repair Work a Specialty.
A guarantee of good service
goes with all work.

Remember the place:
One door west of Brazier's,
ROSS STREET

We Have Moved

To our Premises, First
Street South, one door
East from the Advocate.

CLEANING
PRESSING
REPAIRING

MUNRO & BAINES

BATTERIES
RECHARGED
REPAIRED
BUILT

ELECTRICAL
SERVICE STATION
C. YORKELAND, Prop.

Second St. S. Red Deer
Next Mechanical Garage

BRICK

Do not get the idea that because
Brick is the best building
material, it is too expensive for
you.

CALL OR WRITE TO THE
PIPER BRICK CO.

Manufacturers of the
BEST CLASS OF
BUILDING BRICK
(PLASTIC CLAY)

TELL US WHAT YOU WANT,
AND GET ESTIMATES OF
COST OF YOUR WALLS
BUILT OF BRICK.

Buy Christmas Gifts NOW

For the boy or the farm there is no gift at anything like the price that will give such lasting pleasure, as a saddle, bridle, or any of the following goods.

20 per cent. Discount off all Saddles
which will greatly help to solve the problem of what to give.

Here Are A Few Saddles
from which to make
your selection

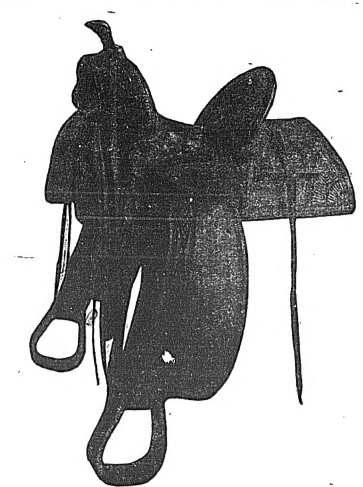
Hight grade oak tanned leather, "Butte" tree, rawhide covered, Sampson horn, 14 inch bulge, 3 inch stirrup leathers. Regular \$105, now \$84.00

Full hand stamped flower design, built on an improved "Idaho" rawhide covered tree, 15 in. bulge, of selected California oak leather, 3 in. stirrup and fender combined. Regular \$93.00 now \$74.50

Hand flower stamped, California oak leather, built on the latest style tree, the "Passehal". Those who see it and have used it claim that this is the most comfortable tree on the market; large knee swells. Regular \$95.00, now \$76.00

Same as above less the knee swell and basket stamped. Regular \$90.00, now \$72.00

For utility purposes and hard work there is none better at the price: "Butte" tree, rawhide covered, steel horn, stirrup leathers 3 in. Reg. \$75.00 now... \$60.00



CHAPPS

White Angora, hand flowered belt, nickel spotted tops, side pockets. Regular \$45.00, now... \$38.00

BRIDLES

Double checked, nickel trimmed, at \$4.25
Chrome tanned rowhide, double checks, 1 inch bridle all round, at \$3.75

CUFFS—Always a nice present

Basket stamped \$2.75
Nickel spotted \$3.00

BELTS

1 1/4, 1 1/2, 1 3/4, 2 1/4, 3 inch solid leather, flower stamped, from \$1.00 to \$2.75

The Jarvis-Goodey Harness Co., Ltd.

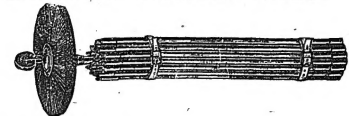
PHONE 40

GAETZ AVENUE SOUTH

H. G. Stone & Sons

IF IT'S
WALLPAPERS YOU WANT
WE HAVE IT

GAETZ AVE. SOUTH - RED DEER
Office Phone 172:

LICENSED CHIMNEY SWEEP

Having secured a new machine direct from England, I will clean stoves, furnaces, pipes and chimneys. I have the only machine in the city. I also repair and build chimneys. Work guaranteed.
P.O. Box 246 E. HASTE PHONE 217

CHLORINE GAS
MAY BE USED TO
DESTROY GOPHERS

Ottawa, December 3.—The value of chlorine gas for the destruction of gophers is emphasized in a brief article which appears in the Agricultural Gazette, published by the Dominion department of agriculture. The article describes a number of experiments which were conducted to ascertain the effect of the gas on gophers, resulting in the conclusion that these animals can be effectively destroyed by means of chlorine; that the destruction can be accomplished in a short time, and that it is economical.

The process of destruction consists in liberating chlorine into the gopher holes. The entomological branch of the agriculture department is at present taking steps to have special cylinders constructed for containing chlorine gas to use in this work.

ABOUT BULGARIA

Bulgaria has an area of about 43,300 square miles and a population of 4,750,000, of whom there are nearly 300,000 Turks. Military service is compulsory, but Mohammedans are exempted. About five-sevenths of the population are engaged in agriculture, most of them being small proprietors holding from one to six acres. The country is divided into nine military districts, each of which supplies a complete division of the field army. All the minerals in Bulgaria belong to the state.



ADVERTISING FOR
PROFIT IN THE
COUNTRY WEEKLY

By C. L. Brethour, Meritt, Ont.—Advertising is the Education of the Public as to who you are, where you are, and what you can do for them. It is the only talent or commodity.—Elbert Hubbard.

Having in mind the dearth of good advertising, and more chiefly the absolutely slovenly methods of 75 per cent of the space users in country weeklies, I am constrained to deal with my subject, not on a suggestive sense, but also a critical, together with a much negative instruction. Elbert Hubbard has told us what advertising is—what it stands for. Let me begin by saying the man who should not advertise is the man who has no skill, talent, service or commodity to offer the public. That is one way of saying that practically all men in any kind of business should advertise.

Over 50 per cent of the business failures in the United States during the last year were directly or indirectly to the lack of advertising and to poor advertising. Assuming the above statements to be correct, and they are correct, we arrive at two very reasonable conclusions: (a) You should advertise your business; (b) You should advertise well. If the reader chances to read many advertisements, some of these conclusions become vital facts. From these two facts we arrive at the third: Unless you advertise well you cannot profit by it.

This brings us to the most in the lot, for it is concerning this last fact that I wish to write, particularly upon how the advertiser may receive the maximum amount of profit from his advertising.

There are systems, methods and means of advertising by the score, and many advertisers come to grief through using them. For no one method, if followed closely, can be adapted to all branches of the commercial world in all localities.

So the advertiser must use his own common sense, which is the predominant one in all good advertising. He must take into consideration the locality and the class of people from where and whom he derives his business.

Let us not mention to define any particular policy to pursue, but to give advice and suggestions which may be adopted by any advertiser in our country weeklies. It is for these advertisers that my article is intended.

(a) Let us suppose for instance that your only medium is your local weekly, published on Wednesday or Thursday of each week. You must not in a whole week's talk. At first thought that seems rather a problem.

(b) Your space. That can only be determined by, primarily, your ambition; secondarily, by the amount of stock you carry and the nature of your business. Too many believe the space they are allotted is a problem they can afford to pay. This belief is the prime cause of failures due to poor advertising.

If it is your ambition to double your business over last year's, why then you should double your advertising. Use enough space. Printing ink never lost any money when used with sound judgment.

Make your space pay its keep. To this I offer a number of points to be observed in order of merit.

Let us consider your ad. in its true light, as a salesman. It is your best paid salesman. It is the only salesman you have in your power to make or to break.

It is not a silent salesman. It talks, talks to many, where the poor individual talks but a few. Make it talk as you would expect a first-class salesman in your store to talk.

Draw it as you would like to see an individual salesman in your store dressed. Don't keep it choked up and slowly in appearance.

Change its dress regularly. Keep up its personality. Let it be of service to the people. That's what a good salesman is for really.

Let your best public servant—your best message bearer, and as I said before, your best salesman, and as you treat it as such it will not fail you.

FAULTS IN COPY
I will now enumerate many everyday faults with copy sent to the publisher and suggestions to remedy them:
1. Too much copy, or to use the trade phrase, "Copy too heavy for the space."
2. Too much descriptive talk.
3. Too much matter irrelevant to the message.
4. Obscuring your message.
5. Too brief in your descriptive matter.
6. Too light copy. Too brief copy—this is a fault in many cases that can be overcome if practiced constantly.
7. Copy that does not lend itself to attractive display. (A few faulty proofs among layout men, those who design the form the ad. shall take).
8. Too much effort at originality by

using complex layouts.
9. Bad ideas of proper proportion.
10. Improper display.
11. Disorderly arrangement.
With regard to No. 1—a very common fault. If you, when writing your ad., would take the trouble to look at some of the well set, well written ads. in your trade journals (you can pick them out easily—the ones that appeal to you first) you could correct this fault yourself. However, write your ad. as you would have it appear on a sheet slightly larger than your ad. occupies. Allow plenty of white margin between the margins of your ad. and the border, the same margin top, bottom and sides. Plenty of white space between paragraphs, lines or stanzas. In other words, keep the white space uniform and your copy in brief, understandable, forcible, language, right to the point and carrying conviction. And you will have a copy that will not choke or overcrowd your space.

No. 2 is covered pretty much by the latter part of my comment on No. 1.

No. 3 and 4. I picked up a weekly paper some time ago, and in glancing over the ads. came across one of a shoe merchant. His message was simply that he had received a shipment of "ladies' and gent's boots and shoes now showing them at the right price. He got at it by telling the people how long he had been in business; how his business had grown; his square methods of dealing and so on. He said that he had many ladies' and gent's shoes now showing at right prices. He would have had a far more profitable history of business all right in its place, but he kept it separate from general advertisement. He will show far better taste. The above is a fair example of the faults Nos. 3 and 4. Keep to your point. Describe plainly and concisely.

No. 5—To correct this I offer an example. A hardware merchant advertising a line of stoves, dwelt at length on the metal durability and then branched off on the merits of the firm who manufactured them; wound up by giving a few details as to fire box, whether they burned coal, wood or gas, then quoted a few prices. This is a good example of an advertisement. It is descriptive matter—much irrelevant matter, poor arrangement and sequence, and speaks for itself. Do not ramble around the subject. Cover each necessary point as briefly and plainly as you consistently can. You can talk an individual out of buying as easily as you can talk him into buying. Your ad. will sell an article on its merits or interest your patrons in the article.

No. 7. This fault presents a subject in itself, and space will not permit me to deal with it, only in a perhaps, superficial way. Books of many pages have been written on the subject of display, and it is impossible to condense in one short paragraph the outstanding features. The immediate cause of this fault is the advertiser's desire to display his goods. The distinctive features are known as display or effect. Arrangement of head lines, subheadings, lines of copy, margin, panning, rules and cut-off rules and border make display.

ONE IMPORTANT FACTOR

The one important thing is arrangement. And one thing that is being neglected is having the greatest influence on display is white space. One small paragraph of six lines, with good type can be effectively and more artistically displayed by proper use of white space as if it were in the hands of a professional. One method of displaying an ad. which I believe can be applied to all other kinds of advertising is to treat your ad. as one big sentence, and choose the subject from the predicate. In other words, put your message and work that into your first display headline. For example: If I advertise the annual sale of ladies' dresses. This, of all the ad., should have the display heading. In using the best kind of display—white space—we should treat the words "ladies' dresses" more boldly than the words "annual sale of." By using it in this manner:

Annual Sale
—OF—
LADIES' DRESSES

we have a more tasty and better display than by treating it thus:

ANNUAL SALE
OF
LADIES' DRESSES

for we show a better effect by a modification of the secondary matter in the intention of our ad.

Now we should choose a brief line of forceful selling talk. In this case more refined talk than you would use in selling your dresses. If you are selling a more refined article. Do not use too much talk or you will lose the interest of your reader. Allow for a good margin of white space to bring it up.

If you are quoting prices on specials here is the place to do it. Your headlines and price lines should be of the same value and under the same judgment in the matter of white space as you have done in your opening.

If you use columns of panels equalize your copy and your margins so that you obtain a good balance. If possible the use of cut-off rules in narrow panning. Plenty of space between items gives a more pleasing effect. The same applies between your signature and the ad. matter.

CORRECT BALANCE
Now to be sure your balance is correct, a good plan is to imagine our finished ad., as balanced upon the point of a lead pencil placed under its exact center. Imagine if you can the copy have used as weights. The heavier the type the heavier the weight. Have your ad. so arranged that the sheet will balance on the point of a pencil. If you have followed the suggestions given above, your result will be a well arranged, well displayed and well balanced ad.

In the foregoing I have covered the faults of layout men, except Nos. 2 and 3. While many pleasing effects can be obtained in most cases, the message is hard to read, and in others it is so crowded that it is almost impossible to the eye, but it does not get any farther. So attempts at effects are better in the hands of expert layout men.

No. 9. Many layout men in this country are prone to give unequal copy a better effect than a balance. Overcrowding in one space, too light in others, show very bad proportioning of copy. If you attempt any panning work or columning, always en-

THE DAILY MISERY
OF ILL-HEALTH

Three Years of Suffering Quickly Relieved by "FRUIT-A-LIVES"



MR. GASPARD DUBORD
159 Avenue Plus IX, Montreal.

"For three years, I was a terrible sufferer from Dyspepsia and my general health was very bad. I consulted a physician and took his medicines and faithfully carried out his instructions; but I did not improve and finally the doctor told me I could not be cured. At this time, a friend advised me to try 'Fruit-a-lives' and I did so. After taking two boxes of 'Fruit-a-lives', I was greatly relieved; and gradually this marvelous fruit medicine made me completely well. My digestion and general health are splendid—all of which I owe to 'Fruit-a-lives'."

GASPARD DUBORD.
Box 6, for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. All all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

deavor to make your copy balance. I would like again to impress upon you these points:
Use plenty of white space.
Use good English.
Use understandable words.
Use good arrangement.
Use good display.
Use plain, sensible, common sense.
And, above all, use good judgment.

ADVERTISING RED DEER

The New Orleans States had the following note in its columns on December 1st:

Edward Fortner, of Red Deer, Alberta, a well known mining engineer and coal mine operator in Canada, is a guest at the DeSoto, stopping over on his way to New Orleans for a brief visit on his return from an inspection of mining properties and mineral resources of Chile, Argentina, Peru and Bolivia in South America.

"Business is dead in most of the South American countries," said Mr. Fortner, "but nevertheless they occur a good position and their general condition is good. The mining business is depressed principally to the low rate of foreign exchange, and the exchange situation in America is going to keep it as more than any other country. I came across many representatives of American firms who were returning from South America without orders, while the British, French and German firms were getting plenty of business in America the exchange of South America, as well as of European countries, is very low and the South American merchants cannot afford to present to buy in the United States. But virtually all the South American countries are in sound financial condition and their money is backed up by heavy gold reserves. There is no danger of bankruptcy for any of them, but unless the exchange situation changes America is going to lose its share of South American commerce."

"There is a great deal of new development of the mineral resources of South America by capitalists from the United States now under way. They are opening up many new silver and copper mines in Chile, Argentina and Bolivia, and in the last named country much is being done from the mines. The Guggenheims recently bought up many mines in Bolivia and they are doing much development work, so that country is prosperous. On my trip I met a large party of geologists and men who reported that they had discovered oil on the boundary between Bolivia and Argentina and soon expected to bring in machinery to develop the oil resources of the section."

"Discovery of oil in Argentina will mean great things for that republic for she always has lacked fuel and has had to import all her coal and oil. South America has untold riches in resources, but the countries lack adequate transportation facilities and large capital is required to develop projects there. I was favorably impressed with a number of properties, but have not as yet decided to connect up with any of them."

"In the Fort McArthur country on the Athabasca river, in Alberta, immense deposits of asphalt have been discovered to bring in machinery will be developed. There are huge deposits of asphalt, cropping out along the banks of the river for miles and miles. In the past the asphalt deposits have not been worked because of no transportation facilities, but a railroad into the section from Edmonton now is being constructed and soon will be completed, and the asphalt industry will be opened up on a large scale there."

THE INGENIOUS AUTOGRAPH-HUNTER

Some years ago, while on a visit to America, Mr. Hall Caine was besieged by autograph-hunters, but he refused them all. One day a porter at his hotel brought him a registered letter. He was asked to sign a receipt, and then he informed that he must sign a second paper which had to be returned to the sender of the letter. Quite unused to American ways, he did so, and when he opened the letter, after the porter had returned, he found that it contained nothing but a note of thanks for the autograph which he had of course refused to give the paper.

PROFESSIONAL

Drs. COLLISON & SANDERS
Physicians and Surgeons
J. Collison, M.D.C.M.—Specialist Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
C. W. Sanders, M.D.C.M.—Licentiate of Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Edinburgh.
Office Hours—9:10 a.m. 11:15 a.m., 2-5 p.m., or by appointment.

Drs. PARSONS & MACKENZIE
Physicians and Surgeons.
R. Parsons, M.D.C.M.—Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh.
W. J. MacKenzie, M.D.C.M.
X-ray Laboratory in office. Office hours—11:15 a.m. 2-5 p.m., 7-8 p.m., or by appointment.

E. W. DeLong, M.D., C.M.
Physician and Surgeon.
Offices—Humber Block, over Western General Electric Co.
Office hours: 10:12 a.m., 2-5 p.m., 7-8 p.m., and by appointment.

DENTISTRY.

DR. J. B. LONG
Dental Surgeon.
Graduate—
Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario.
University of Toronto Dental Faculty.
Member of Dominion Dental Council.
Hours, 9-12 and 1-6.
Office, Smith & Gaetz Block.
Phone 112 Red Deer.

DR. J. R. MACCROSTIE
Dental Surgeon.
Dr. A. T. GRIBBLE.
Dental Surgeons.

Graduates Chicago College of Dental Surgery. Licentiate in U.S. and Alberta. Office over Royal Bank.
Phone 148.

CHIROPRACTORS.

BONSALL & BONSALL,
Doctors of Chiropractic.

Spinal adjustments for acute and chronic disorders of the body. Palmer School graduates. Consultation and Spinal Analysis free at Office: Michener Block, entrance on Gaetz Ave. Telephone—Office 24; Residence, 241. Office hours: 10 to 12 a.m., 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m.

LEGAL.

PAYNE & GRAHAM
Barriers, Solicitors, Advocates, Notaries.
Ernest W. Payne. P. E. Graham

Money to loan on town and farm property. Office: Judge Greene Block.

RUSSELL & McCLURE
Barriers, Solicitors, Notaries.
A. H. Russell, K.C. J. R. McClure, B.A.
Office—Royal Bank Block.

JONES, SCOTT & McLAURIN,
Barriers, Solicitors, Etc.

Smith & Gaetz Block, Red Deer, Alta.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

H. H. HUMBER
Red Deer, Alberta.
Watchmaker, Jeweller and Optician.
Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

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R. BRUYNSERADE, D.L.S., A.L.S.
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Phone: Residence, R 502; Office, 19.

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Auctioneer & Commission Broker.

Farm and Town Sales Solicited. Several years' experience. "Satisfaction guaranteed."

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Licensed Auctioneer for Alberta.
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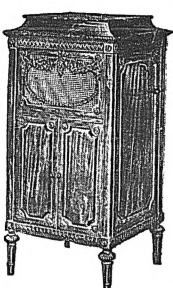
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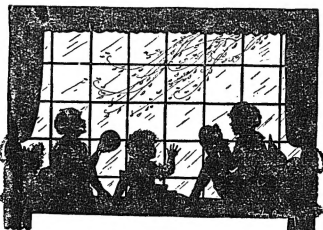
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LOCAL NEWS

Edison records at Humber's.

Some novel calendars for 1921 just in at Gaetz-Cornett.

25 per cent. off glass and white ivory ware at The Day Hardware Co.

See the latest novelty, the "Phone-movie," at Gaetz-Cornett's. Every gramophone owner will want one of these clever novelties.

The Red Deer Carriers' annual dance will be held in the Auditorium on Monday, December 27th. Be sure and keep the date open.

The Lady Superintendent of the Memorial Hospital acknowledges with thanks the donation from Mrs. Greening of two silver suit collars to the Horn Hill ward.

Souvenir brochures at 40c.—H. H. Humber.

The attendance at the Shady Nook school for November has been very good; with an enrollment of 22, an average attendance of 19.6 was made.

The averages on examinations for the month of pupils in Grades VII and VIII were: Agnes Anderson, 80; Madge Gaetz, 60; Madge Plummer, 85; Vera Plummer, 77; Isabella Silverberg, 64; Stephen H. Rogers, teacher.

Edison photographs, no needles to change. See H. H. Humber.

The firemen at their regular meeting on Tuesday evening had a social time in honor of Mr. Harry Russell, an old and valued member of the Brigade, who is leaving for England for three months. Music, refreshments, etc., filled in a couple of hours and Mr. Russell was presented with a pipe and tobacco pouch as an evidence of good will and esteem.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Reidy will have much sympathy in the loss of their little one. It was only last month that Mr. Reidy had word also of the death of his brother, a member of the Royal Irish Constabulary, at the age of 37. He was riding on a wheel when a dog threw him, wounding his knee. The hurt was not thought serious at first, but it developed into blood poisoning to which he succumbed.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Frost went through Red Deer on Thursday to their farm at Leasideville. Mr. and Mrs. Frost have had varied experiences since last leaving Red Deer, having been injured by the overturning of a boat at Ocean Falls, B.C., from which Mrs. Frost is still suffering, and having their land on Lake Island flooded and their crops destroyed. Mr. Frost was for three years a prisoner of war in Germany.

Rev. W. G. Brown has been elected President of the Alberta Social Service Council. The appointment of a commission of three members, all of known sympathy with prohibition, to handle the sale of liquor by the government to all such persons as doctors and druggists who are entitled to obtain it for medicinal purposes, was recommended by the League, as well as a limit of fifty prescriptions per month and other amendments to the Liquor Law.

For diamonds see H. H. Humber.

Mrs. W. Johnson Cook, Teacher of Singing and Voice Production.
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FOR SALE—Two good milch cows and one calf. Will sell for \$80 if taken at once.—S. Kannegger, at Dale's Barber Shop. Dec. 15, 1w.

LOST—Gold cuff link about ten days ago. Finder please leave at News office. \$100 reward. Dec. 15.

LOST—The front of radiator cover between residence of Dr. Collinson and Armouries. Please return to Dr. Collinson & Sanders. Dec. 15, 1w.

WANTED TO BUY—Ford car, 1917 or 1918 model. Must be cheap, for cash. Write to Box 415, Red Deer, giving price and particulars. Dec. 15, 1w.

STRAYED—A Black Polled Angus Bull, two years old. J. L. Janssen, Hilldown P.O. Phone R 1207. Dec. 15, 2w.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF RED DEER.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation to all, especially the ladies, who turned out and gave me such splendid support on Monday last. As an Alderman for the ensuing term, I will endeavor to serve the best interests of the city at all times. I thank you.
GEO. H. BEST.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of Red Deer Local, No. 82, U.F.A., will be held on Saturday, December 18th, in the City Hall, at 2 p.m.
All members and others interested are invited to attend.
Business: Election of officers. Discussion of the pooling of wheat. General business.
D. W. McKINNON, President.

NOTICE

To Springvale School District, No. 219. Ratepayers:
Having transferred the banking business of the above school district to the Merchants Bank, Red Deer, taxpayers are requested to pay their taxes at above named Bank.
5 per cent. will be added to taxes not paid before 16th inst.
W. F. COPE, Sec.-Treas.
Dec. 15, 1w.

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THE SKATING RINK IS NOW OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.
Secure your Season Ticket early.

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NOTICE

The public will please take notice that the partnership heretofore existing between Mr. Geo. Shelton and Mr. B. M. Willson has been dissolved by mutual consent.

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PIANOS FOR SALE—A snap for quick sale—two upright Haines pianos, \$275 and \$350. Phone 21. Dec. 8, 1w.

STRAYED FROM MY FARM, in Willows—Purebred Aberdeen-Angus cow, dark with a bar on top; also a right ear and branded—over F on left thigh, well under tail.—J. F. Dec. 8, 1w.

STRAYED from the premises of the undersigned, two black Polled Angus heifers, branded 4, p upside down, and with a bar on top; also a white-faced steer with same brand. All one year olds. One black calf, not branded. Information will be thankfully received. R. F. Pengelly, Springvale, Red Deer P.O. Nov. 24, 3w.

LOST—Four fillies—one dark bay, 2 year old; one yearling, black, and two bay colts, with white strip on faces. Branded large Y with circle in front. \$500 reward for information leading to recovery.—Bruns Bros, Route 4, Red Deer. Nov. 24, 3w.

TEACHER WANTED for Prairie Rose S. D. 1970. State qualifications, previous experience and salary expected. Duties to commence January 10th, 1921.—Ralph Patterson, Secretary-Treasurer, Condor P.O., Alta. Dec. 8, 3w.

TEACHER WANTED.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES WILSON McKEE, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of James W. McKee, deceased, formerly of Sylvan Lake, who died on the 7th February, 1916, are required to file with the undersigned by the 17th day of January, 1921, a full statement verified of their claims and of any security held by them, and that after that date the administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with the undersigned.
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TO THE ELECTORS OF RED DEER

Ladies and Gentlemen—
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Yours sincerely,
J. W. BROUGHTON.



CITY OF RED DEER

NOTICE

Assessment Roll, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll of the City of Red Deer for the year 1921 has been prepared, and is now open for inspection at my office in the City Hall from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on every day which is not a public holiday, except Saturday (and on that day from ten a.m. to twelve o'clock noon), and that any ratepayer who desires to object to the assessment of himself or of any other person must, within twenty days after the date of this notice, lodge his complaint in writing at my office.
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